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Applicant:

MIZOBUCHI, Noriko et al. Conf.:

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09/242,700

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Filed:

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For:

A STABLE OINTMENT CONTAINING

ACETYLSALICYLIC ACID

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November 26, 2002

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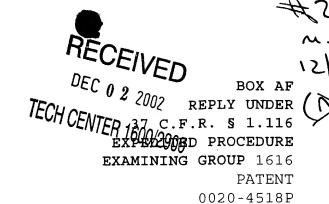
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Sir:

In response to the Examiner's Office Action dated August 27, 2002, the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

In the Claims:

Please cancel claims 1-6, 8-10, 15, 17, 19 and 20 without prejudice to or disclaimer of the subject matter contained therein.